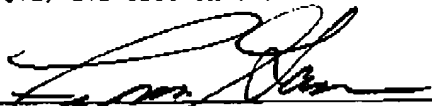


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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 20, 2006,
the period for reply having been extended by one month from
July 20, 2006 to August 20, 2006 by the Petition for Extension
of Time submitted herewith, it is respectfully requested that
the above-identified application be amended as set forth below.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 19 of this paper.